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Representative John Brademas  
House of Representatives, Washington  
Dear Congressman Brademas

Simon Wiesenthal Center for Holocaust  
Studies, 976 West Pico Boulevard,  
Los Angeles, California 90035, wrote to  
me to invite to say that evidence is  
mounting that Raoul Wallenberg, the man  
who saved the lives of more than 25,000  
Hungarian Jews in World War II through  
his personal intervention may still be alive  
in the Soviet Union.

Wallenberg, a Swedish diplomat and a  
Christian, risked his own life, using his authority  
as a diplomat to personally intervene  
and save men, women, and children from the  
gas chambers.

Raoul Wallenberg, who personally esta-  
blished "international houses" which flew the  
Swedish flag and at which more than 16,000  
Jews were sheltered.

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